

**TOWN OF MASHPEE
BOARD OF HEALTH**

REFUSE CONTAINER REGULATION

WHEREAS: Intermediaries, “Brokers”, are soliciting business for licensed trash haulers resulting in improper container company identification. In order to readily identify these container companies, pursuant to the Mass General Laws, Section 31A and 31B of Chapter 111, notice is hereby given that the following regulation has been adopted by the Town of Mashpee, Board of Health.

SECTION I – REGULATION

1. All trash haulers licensed in the Town of Mashpee shall have placards affixed to each refuse container (dumpster) indicating the owner(s) name, haulers servicing the refuse container, Broker’s name of the refuse container(s) and the contact numbers. The placards shall be no less than ten by twelve inches in size with letters/numbers no less than three inches in height and of contrasting colors.
2. Enclose all exterior trash receptacles (dumpsters) with a minimum six foot (6’) high fence to mitigate loose refuse.
3. Provide an impervious surface (e.g. asphalt or concrete) to capture potential spills of hazardous materials from impacting the surrounding environment.

SECTION II – ENFORCEMENT

1. For the purpose of enforcing this regulation, the Board of Health, Health Agent or any other designee of the Board of Health shall be the enforcing officer.

SECTION III – PENALTIES

1. Failure to comply with this regulation will result in the levy of fines of not more than \$1,000.00 per offense.

SECTION IV – SEVERABILITY:

1. Each provision of this regulation shall be construed as separate to the end that if any provision, or sentence, clause or phrase thereof shall be held invalid for any reason, the remainder of that section and all other sections shall continue in full force and effect.

This regulation was adopted by the Board of Health on June 11, 2008 and will become effective upon the date of publication.

Per Order Of,
Mashpee Board of Health

Lucy B. Burton, Chairman
Burton Kaplan, Clerk